

NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY Recreational Sports

Select Shot Golf Rules

The Game

1. The current USGA Rules and Riverside Golf Course Winter Rules will govern play except where modified herein.
2. Selection of starting holes and team pairings will be controlled by the Intramural Director.

Players

1. Teams shall be comprised of two or three players each, depending on the type of tournament conducted.
2. Teams may elect to play with less players than the maximum required.

Playing Rules

1. Men will tee off from the white markers and women from the red.
2. Each team is required to keep the other teams score, verify, and sign the scorecard turned-in.
3. Selection of the player hitting first will be determined by the location of the ball. If the ball is in the rough, the player that hit the ball into the rough must shoot first. Any player may hit the ball first when it's in the fairway or on the green.
4. Play out all holes, there are no gimmies. **First ball in the hole will count for score. There will be no mulligans.**
5. On a lost ball or ball out of bounds, the player will lose stroke and distance. If in doubt hit a provisional ball.
6. Distance allowances for areas free of grass:
 - a. In the fairway - player may place the ball one club length no closer to the hole. If it's behind a tree the player may move it in a backwards direction only.
 - b. In the rough - player may not place the ball they must drop it.
 - c. On the cart path - if the ball or stance is affected the player may take relief to the fairway.

- d. To avoid conflicts it is recommended that the other team be notified before relief is taken.
7. On challenge of rule, each player affected must hit a second ball.
8. Ties will be decided by scorecard draw (highest handicap holes in descending order).

Special Events

1. Closest to hole contest - the ball used must be the players first shot. Use the middle of the ball to the edge of the hole when measuring the distance. After measuring the distance please place everything back in the bag provided and leave the scoring sheet off the green away from the tee box. Do not leave the scoring sheet stuck in the green.
2. Longest drive contest - the ball must be in the correct fairway between and including the cart paths. Use the leg, of the distance marker, closest to the hole as your mark. After moving the distance marker please place everything back in the bag provided and turn the distance marker facing the cart path before sticking in ground.

Protests

1. If during the competition a disagreement arises regarding the interpretation of a rule or eligibility, the decision of the Intramural Director will be final.
2. The Intramural Director reserves the right to alter or change any of the above with the best interest of all concerned.

THE SUCCESS OF ANY TOURNAMENT AND FAIR COMPETITION RESTS WITH EACH PERSONS INTEGRITY AND PROFESSIONALISM. LET'S NOT RUIN THE SPIRIT OF THE GAME OR THE GOOD TIME TO BE HAD BY ALL PARTICIPANTS THROUGH PETTY ACTS OR THE TAKING OF UNFAIR ADVANTAGE.